

## Star Autism Support Strategies for Teaching Based on

## **Autism Research**

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What: Training to implement the STAR Autism Support Curriculum

Where: Miles Community College Room 110

When: October 7-8, 2010 8:30-4:00.

Cost: \$100 for educators, FREE for para-educators

Credit: Pending from MSU-B one graduate credit \$125.00. From Dawson Community College one undergraduate credit \$52.20 and OPI Renewal Units (12)

The STAR Autism Program teaches children with autism the critical skills identified by the 2001 National Research Council. The ABA (Applied Behavior Analysis) instructional methods of discrete trial training, pivotal response training and functional routines form the instructional base of this comprehensive program for children with autism.

The STAR Program includes detailed lesson plans, teaching materials, data systems and a curriculum-based assessment for teaching in the six curricular areas of receptive language, expressive language, spontaneous language, functional routines academics and play and social skills.

- ABA forms the program's theoretical base of this comprehensive program.
- Educators, paras, SLP's and parents will find the STAR Program easy to implement.
- Lesson plans can be easily tailored to meet the needs of individual students.
- Student Learning Profiles enable educators to plan lessons for each student and document progress
- The program meets the needs of students at various developmental levels with the three levels of the STAR program.
- Visit www.starautismprogram.com for more information.

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